

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE MAY 13, 1965

Full Name FRED EUGENE SCHON II
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address _____

City MUNDELEIN State ILLINOIS

Age 28 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion PRESBYTERIAN Nationality AMERICAN

Occupation FORMER SCHOOL TEACHER

Education B.S. (NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY)

Weight 190 Color WHITE Height 6' 2"

Color of hair BLACK Color of eyes BROWN

Outstanding characteristics or interests MUSIC, RIFLERY

Married or single SINGLE Children _____
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

| Unit # | City | State | Office | Date Reg'd. | Date resigned |
|----------|-------------|-------|--------|-------------|---------------|
| PACK 154 | St. CHARLES | ILL. | CM-ACM | 1/31/63 | 1/31/64 |

Special recognition NONE

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

SEE ATTACHED DATA

Signed William F. Horvath
Scout Executive

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F. E. SCHON, JR.
HOLCOMB, ILLINOIS
LINDENWOOD 728

Dec. 5, 1964

Mr. John Wredling
Supt. of Schools
Dist. #303
St. Charles, Illinois

Dear Mr. Wredling,

This is to inform you that I find it necessary to resign my position with Dist. #303 as of this date. I am resigning for personal reasons. Please make this effective at once. Thank you for your kind consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Fred E. Schon II

28 Elm Street
Wednesday, February 11, 1965
**Judge Grants
Year Probation**
GENOVA - Fred Schon, 28
formerly of St. Charles and now
of Mundelein, was given one
year's probation Tuesday by St.
Charles Magistrate Albert Gleason.
Schon applied for probation
after pleading guilty to a charge
of contributing to the delinquency
of a minor.

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January 5, 1965

Dr. Martin Bartels, Director
Teacher Placement Office
Northern Illinois University
DeKalb, Illinois

Dear Dr. Bartels:

The enclosed reference for Mr. Fred Schon is being sent to you personally.

Mr. Schon has been a teacher with us slightly more than two years. Because of an incident involving a student here Mr. Schon submitted a resignation about the fifth of December for "personal reasons." The nature of the incident makes a positive reference a very difficult thing to submit to you, although his teaching record with us was fine up to that time.

The enclosed references, naturally, must indicate something, in order to protect successive school systems from a repeat of a similar incident. Naturally, I regret this but feel that my professional obligation requires me to do so in order to protect boys and girls in all instances.

Should you have any personal questions about this, I hope you will contact me immediately. I will be happy to discuss the situation with you privately.

Sincerely,

John A. Wiedling
Superintendent

JAW:lh

Enc.

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January 5, 1965

Mr. Fred Schon has been a teacher of physical education in the Community Unit District #303 elementary schools for the past two years. His entire responsibility during class time was working with elementary level students. Additional responsibilities after school included working with the junior high school wrestling squad and supervising the rifle club.

Mr. Schon is a strict disciplinarian and had no difficulty at any time in handling his classes. I feel that he did a fine job on this particular assignment.

Because of complaints signed by the parents of a boy in our school system, Mr. Schon resigned in December for "personal reasons."

John H. Wredling
Superintendent
Community Unit District #303

JHW:lh

April 28, 1965

Mr. William F. Downs
Scout Executive
Chief Shabbona Council, No. 735

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Fred E. Schon
Former AOM-CM, Pack 154

Dear Mr. Downs:

Thank you for your letter of April 22 concerning one Fred E. Schon who was formerly registered as Cubmaster of Pack 154 from January 31, 1963 to January 31, 1964. We have placed the information you have provided in our file.

Before we can take final action regarding this matter, however, we would very much appreciate knowing further details concerning this situation. Your letter states he was released from his employment as a teacher due to proof of homosexual conduct. What is the nature of this proof? In cases of this nature it is always helpful if we can obtain any available substantiating statements or documents so that we may have them for future reference and identification purposes.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we will also appreciate your filling out and returning to us, together with the above requested information. This will then enable us to identify Mr. Schon should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

HB/clr
Encl.

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April 22, 1965

Mr. Howard Boyd
Director of Registration
Boy Scouts of America
National Council
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Dear Howard:

Our Council records show and yours should show that one Fred E. Schon was registered from January 31, 1963 to January 31, 1964 as a Cubmaster and Assistant Cubmaster of Cub Scout Pack 154 in St. Charles, Illinois.

I have been advised by the Superintendent of School District #303 in St. Charles that Mr. Schon was released from employment as a teacher by the School District on December 2, 1964 due to proof of homosexual conduct.

I have been advised to forward this information to you in order to keep any records you have current.

If more information is needed please feel free to ask.

Sincerely,

CHIEF SHABBONA COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

William F. Downs
Scout Executive

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